Gallery Mint Museum

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Collector's Update

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GMM Introduces New Jersey Copper Repros

Eureka Springs, ARK -- The latest reproduction available from the Gallery Mint Museum is the New Jersey Copper, dated 1786

The reproduction was created by GMM for the New Jersey Numismatic Society, with a special reverse to commemorate their 700th meeting in April 1996 The piece met with such enthusiasm that we decided to create a full replica of this rare variety, a Maris 8F of which only four originals are known There were 100 commemoratives made for the New Jersey Numismatic Society

The reproduction medal sells for $8 each plus $2 shipping and handling per order

The New Jersey coppers, coined from 1786 to 1789, were pre-federal issue minted prior to the establishment of the United States Mint.

The prime promoter of the coin was a young Revolutionary War hero named General Matthias Ogden, who was under the impression that coining coppers could

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New Jersey Copper-- Just released from the Gallery Mint Museum, the reproduction of this rare variety Maris 8F sells for $8 each plus shipping and handling Actual size is approximately 27 29 mm A second rare variety, the Maris 62 5 also is available Photos of the second variety were not available at press time

Please send me [ ] **New Jersey Copper(s) Maris 8F Reverse "copy" stamp at $8 00 each** $_____
Please send me [ ] **New Jersey Copper(s) Maris 8F Obverse "copy" stamp at $8 00 each** $_____
Please send me [ ] **New Jersey Copper(s) Maris 62 5 Reverse "copy" stamp at $8 00 each** $_____
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Shipping & handling per order (copper orders only) $ **2 00**
Total $ _____

Other Gallery Mint Museum Medals and Reproductions:

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make coin manufacturers rich. It was at that time that three English coiners - Thomas Goadsby, Albion Cox, and Walter Mould-- brought proposals for manufacturing copper coins to the State.

Ogden was instrumental in getting the bill passed, exerting his political influence in the State Assembly. He even gave his profitable franchise of carrying mail between New York and Philadelphia to fellow Assemblyman Daniel Marsh in exchange for his vote along with an agreement that the coiners would lease Marsh's gristmill for the mint site.

The bill passed on June 1 1786 and production began late that year

New Jersey Copper -- GMM repro shown above actual size

Ogden's hope of good fortune turned awry, however, when both the mint at Rahway Mills and the mint directed by Walter Mould met with a number of lawsuits.

Insolvent, Mould sold the equipment and fled to Ohio. Cox went to debtor's prison and then escaped back to England. Goadsby made off with the Rahway mint equipment and began coining elsewhere. And Ogden was held responsible for the Rahway lease and the coiners' tithes to the Treasurer.

In the works ... 1796 quarter dollar

Next on the engraver's block at GMM is the 1796 Quarter Dollar reproduction, planned to start out the reproduction typeset of 1796.

Look for more news and information on this typeset in future issues of the Gallery Mint Museum Newsletter, The Gallery Mint Report.

The process is going a lot smoother with the experience of the 1795 Gold Half Eagle reproduction under way. The $5 gold piece reproduction is still available from the Gallery Mint for $150, plus $4 Insured Shipping and Handling.

The "proof" issue of the Half Eagle, which was offered to Gallery Mint Museum Patrons only, is sold out. The proof version sold for $215.

Still available from the GMM Collection....

1794-1994 Flowing Hair Dollar Bicentennial Medal commemorating the first silver dollar minted at the U S Mint. $49.71

Annual medals of the Gallery Mint 1 1/2 troy ounce .999 fine silver. '95 celebrates the Hobo Nickel. '94 commemorates the 202nd anniversary of U S Mint, '93 dedicated to the numismatic arts $35.00

1795 Gold Half Eagle, celebrating U S Mint's first $5 gold piece $150.00

Hot off the Press

1793 Liberty Cap Cent Reproduction

Proof Issue $17 each. Unc Issue $8 each

The 1793 Liberty Cap cent features a lettered edge that reads 'ONE HUNDRED FOR A DOLLAR,' replicated using the same type of engraving techniques and processes that were used to create the originals. 29mm and 13.48 grams.
(Uncirculated version shown. Proof shown on cover.)

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Quantity	Item	Price	Specify! Copy stamp on. Rev	Obv	Total
[ ]	**Proof 1793 Liberty Cap Cent Reproduction** Limited edition of one thousand two hundred	$17.00	[ ]	[ ]	____
[ ]	**Uncirculated 1793 Liberty Cap Cent Reproduction** Pure copper. Lettered edge	$8.00	[ ]	[ ]	____
[ ]	**1786 New Jersey Copper Reproduction** Maris 8-F variety. Approximately 28 mm pure copper	$8.00	[ ]	[ ]	____
[ ]	**1787 New Jersey Copper Reproduction** Maris 62.5 variety. Approximately 31mm pure copper	$8.00	[ ]	[ ]	____
[ ]	**Gallery Mint Medal 1993, 1994, 1995 (circle choices)** 1 1/2 troy oz. 999 fine silver. Limited edition 500	$35.00			____
[ ]	**1794 - 1994 Silver Dollar Bicentennial Medal** 1 troy oz. 999 fine silver. Limited edition 1,756	$49.71	[ ]	[ ]	____
[ ]	**1795 Gold Half Eagle Reproduction** (Uncirculated issue) 8.75 grams. 9167 fine gold. 25mm reeded edge	$170.00	[ ]	[ ]	____
[ ]	**Gallery Mint Museum T-shirts** Dark hunter green t-shirts with yellow-gold GMM seal Sizes Medium, Large, XL and XXL and XXX-Large Please add $2 shipping and handling. Specify size(s)	$15.00			____
	Insured Shipping & Handling (Required for Silver & Gold Orders)	$ 4.00			____
	Insured Shipping & Handling (Cent orders of $48 or more)	$ 4.00			____
	Shipping & Handling (Cent orders less than $48)	$ 2.00			____
	Total				____

Arkansas residents please add 5% sales tax. Allow 4-6 weeks for delivery. The Hobby Protection Act requires a "copy" stamp on all reproductions. Copy stamp must appear on "obverse" or "reverse." Please specify.
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For your consideration...

1795 $5 Gold Half Eagle Repro

Designed by Robert Scot, the first gold coin struck at the U.S. Mint depicts Lady Liberty wearing a Phrygian cap with a small eagle design on the reverse. Accurately reproduced in 8.75 grams .9167 fine gold

~~$150.00 each~~ Now $170.00* each

* Due to unforseen processing charges we have found it necessary to increase the price from the previously advertised price of $150.00

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$8.00 each

1787 New Jersey Copper Repro

This recently discovered variety, the Maris 62.5, is unique and is the only variety known to carry the initials of Walter Mould. Only one of the originals is known to exist, which is believed to have been the personal coin of the die sinker, Walter Mould. Ours is recreated in every detail, right down to the "die crack."

$8.00 each

1794-1994 Flowing Hair Dollar Bicentennial Medal

Commemorative reproduction of the first silver dollar minted at the U.S. Mint, using the same type of equipment and engraving techniques used to produce the originals over 200 years ago. Individually numbered in a limited edition of 1,758 pieces total struck in 1 troy ounce .999 fine silver

~~$49.71~~ each

1995 Gallery Mint Annual Medal

The third in a series of annual medals produced by The Gallery Mint. This 1 1/2 troy ounce .999 fine silver celebrates *"The Hobo Nickel an American Folk Art Tradition."* The medal depicts on the obverse a hobo with top hat and bindle with a steam engine and tender in the background and a tribute to BERT and BO on the reverse. Limited numbered edition of 500

$35.00 each